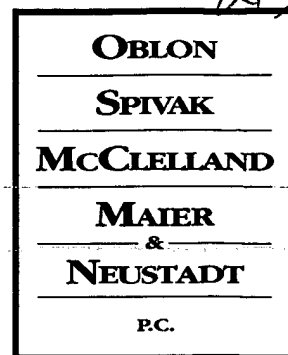




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In response to the Office Action dated August 24, 2004, Applicants request reconsideration of the above-identified application.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

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